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SUBJECT: Report on the Community Pollution Prevention Fund

In accordance with Section 445.573f of Initiated Law 1 of 1976 (Bottle Bill), as amended, attached is the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy's (EGLE) report on the Community Pollution Prevention Fund for fiscal year 2020.

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## Community Pollution Prevention Fund Annual Report

Report Period: Fiscal Year 2020

This report is provided in accordance with Section 445.573f of Initiated Law 1 of 1976 (Bottle Bill), as amended. This is the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy's (EGLE) annual report that summarizes pollution prevention grants provided, contractual commitments made and achieved, and an evaluation of the effectiveness of this fund for fiscal year 2020.

There was significant interest in 2020 for Community Pollution Prevention Funding for programs that support stabilizing communities and reduce environmental hazards, such as greenhouse gas emissions in buildings. Unfortunately, EGLE was unable to provide grant funding due to the unavailability of bottle deposit funds and discretionary spending limitations because of the Coronavirus pandemic. If revenue becomes available in the future, EGLE will pursue the program.

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